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Expired drugs pile up at K.R. Hospital

- In the last four years, medicines worth Rs. 23.20 lakh unused
- Hospital seeks nod to dispose of medicines scientifically

By S.T. Ravikumar

Mysuru, July 24- At a time when hundreds of patients thronging State-run K.R. Hospital are given prescriptions to buy medicines from other medical stores outside, here is a case of gross criminal negligence of stockpiling unused medicines for which permission has now been sought to destroy.

Medicines worth Rs. 23,20,015 have crossed the expiry date mark since the last four years and they are dusting in the IPD-OPD block (Old Jayadeva) in the Hospital premises. Shockingly, most of these medicines are life-saving ones. The Hospital authorities have sought permission from the Government to destroy the expired medicines scientifically — again a long and expensive process.

For an RTI query, **Hospital Chief Pharmacist B.R. Prasanna Kumar** has stated that the medicines have not been used from January 2016 till November 2020. From January 2016 till December that year, medicines worth Rs. 1,39,430 have not been used including 12 types of tablets and injections.

In 2017, medicines worth Rs. 6,83,179 have not been used and in 2018, losses amounted to Rs. 7,62,480. In 2019-2020, medicines worth Rs. 7,34,926 were not given to the patients and they have expired now.

(See K.R. HOSPITAL on page 7)

Weightlifter Mirabai Chanu wins
India's 1st medal at Tokyo Games

Tokyo, July 24- Mirabai Chanu ended India's 21-year wait for a weightlifting medal at the Olympics by clinching a silver medal in the 49kg category to open India's account here today. The 26-year-old lifted a total of 202kg (87kg+115kg) to better Karnam Malleswari's bronze in the 2000 Sydney Olympics.

With this, she exorcised the ghosts of the 2016 Games where she had failed to log a single legitimate lift. The gold went to China's Hou Zhihui with an effort of 210 kg, while Aisah Windy Cantika of Indonesia took home the bronze with an effort of 194 kg.

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Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Saturday 24th July 2021

High Court orders construction of night shelters for destitutes

Bengaluru, July 24- The Karnataka High Court on Friday ordered construction of 120 night shelters for destitutes and shelterless people in the next three months.

A Division Bench of the HC headed by Chief Justice A.S.Oka was hearing a petition filed by PUCL (Peoples Union for Civil Liberties) seeking a direction to the Government for constructing night shelters in urban areas under National Urban Livelihood Mission (NULM).

The Bench went through the submission made by NULM Project Officer, which said that there was a need for having 166 night shelters for destitutes who are more than one lakh in number in urban areas, according to a survey conducted in February 2021.

The Court then directed the Government to immediately take up construction of 120 night shelters with priority for construction in Bengaluru, Hubballi-Dharwad and Mysuru City Corporation limits.

Pointing out that Bengaluru has only 10 night shelters and Hubballi-Dharwad and Mysuru City Corporations have only one each, the Court said that a total of 84 shelters should come up in BBMP limits and at least nine shelters each should be constructed in Mysuru and Hubballi-Dharwad.

Instructing the Government to construct night shelters in next three months, the Court asked the Karnataka Legal Services Authority (KLSA) to authorise District Legal Services Authority (DLSAs) to inspect the night shelters and submit a status report before Aug. 24, it is learnt.

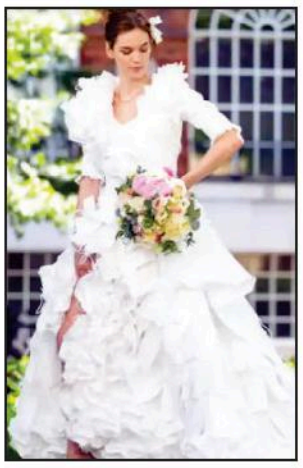
EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

Nothing works like politics in India. Everything else can fail or collapse, but not the politics of one-upmanship. Take Karnataka, one of the worst-hit States in the second wave. Yes, now on a recovery path but with no anticipatory bail against a third wave. The healthcare infra is exhausted. So are the health workers. Vaccination needs to be on a war-footing, but supply is slothful. Once a higher education hub, Karnataka now dangles in an indeterminate space between online and offline. Schools are mired in wrangling between parents and school admins on fees in the cities and between students and broadband providers in the hinterland. Heavy rains and floods are back—farming is in stasis. Fuel prices have skyrocketed. The youth are jobless and listless.

The elected representatives would have been expected to rally behind the people in such times of wholesale distress. But no, they are busy with their political careers. Some from the ruling side regularly spend time visiting Delhi to lobby for a leadership change. Chief Minister B.S. Yediyurappa is 78, an exception in his party where the cutoff date for political posts is 75. So just about everyone worth his salt is expecting to succeed him. Not on the merit of, say, exemplary pandemic relief or any such falsely pious reason, but by dint of the size of their communities. Can the Lingayat vote bank be assuaged if BSY is replaced by another community face? Is it better to try to upstage the Congress and JD(S) by putting a Vokkaliga at the helm? The Congress, for its part, cannot make up its mind if KPCC chief D.K. Shivakumar (Vokkaliga) or former CM Siddharamaiah (an AHINDA strongman) would be the best bet as the next CM candidate. Elections are two years away, but all political energies are expended on supporters of the two factions targeting the other. What about the people? Who said democracy was meant for them? — *In The New Indian Express*

NEWS SPARKLERS

Wedding gown from discarded face masks



London: A designer in Britain has come up with a unique idea of incorporating discarded masks into something that would be useful and lovely to look at—a frilly white wedding dress made entirely of used masks.

The breathtaking gown has been made by putting together 1,500 used masks. Designer Tom Silverwood made this dress with funding from the wedding planner website 'Hitched'. It was showcased by model Jemima Hambro in a shoot at St. Paul's Cathedral. Recyclable plastic PPE has been used around the waist to give it the fitted shape.

The dress has been specially made to commemorate the lifting of lockdown restrictions. According to data, more than 100 million disposable masks have been worn since the start of the year-long lockdown.

Bizarre list of wedding rules

New York: A wedding day is supposed to be one of the most important days in a person's life and people leave no stone unturned to make it perfect. Couples splurge on function, food and venue while planning every minute detail of the big day. However, this couple just went too far away in planning everything and issued a list of dos and don'ts for the guests.

A list of wedding rules shared by the wedding planner on behalf of the bride and groom has now gone viral on social media. The mail draft sent out to the guests starts with a greeting. The first rule requires guests to be present 15-30 minutes before the function.

The final rule required guests to arrive with a gift worth $75 or more, to enter the function.

HEALTH CAPSULE

"Keep your hands clean - surprised to know that microbes can survive on inert surface anywhere from a few minutes to as long as several months. It depends on the microbes and the environment it is in. However, these microbes can be taken care of by simply washing your hand effectively for at least 20 seconds with soap and water. If you cannot find water around you, then the best alternative solution would be a good hand sanitiser".

By Sharadhammanni S - Clinical Educator

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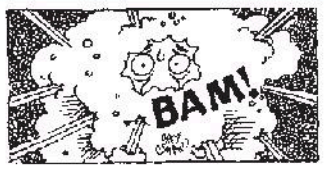

Also called cranial sensory shock, exploding head syndrome involves the perception of a sudden short, loud noise inside the head, usually upon falling asleep or waking up. It is a benign but frightening condition, often anxiety-related. (When I had it, I called them "Brain Bombs.")

COVID-19 UPDATE - MYSURU

DATES	JULY 22	JULY 23
Day's Positive Cases	134	157
Total Positive Cases	1,71,686	1,71,843
Day's Discharges	230	173
Total Discharges	1,67,621	1,67,794
Day's Deaths	1	3
Total Deaths	2,286	2,289
Total Active Cases	1,779	1,760

NOTE: Figures as per Government Media Bulletin

'Guru Purnima' this evening

Mysuru, July 24- As part of Guru Purnima, the city's Namo Yoga Bhavan will felicitate 15 achievers from various fields at a programme to take place at the Yoga Bhavan premises, Ramanuja Road, K.R.Mohalla, at 7 pm this evening (July 24).

National Yoga Champion Yogaprakash will deliver the keynote address. Sucharitha Mataji will grace the occasion.

Mysore Yoga Foundation Hon. President B.V. Manjunath will preside. Those who will be felicitated are — Dr. C. Ramesh Shetty, Dr. B.N. Srinath, K.N. Suresh, V. Somashekar, Jawa Ramesh, Dr. P.R. Vishwanath Shetty, T. Sampath Kumar, B.V. Shanthakumar, Police Nagabhushan, Pashupathi, Shakunthala Suresh, Vishalakshi, Venkatesh, Ananth Dikshit and Meenakshi. For more details, call Mob: 94498-86322.

REALLY...?

- *Tortoises have been around for over 200 million years — longer than lizards, birds, mammals, crocodiles and snakes.*
- *A turtle shell contains 60 interconnected bones.*
- *A group of tortoises is called a creep.*
- *Tortoises can hold their breath for a good while. They smell with their throats. Tortoises empty their lungs before going back into their shell and can last for some time without coming out for oxygen.*
- *Colour of the shell indicates origin: A lighter shell indicates that a tortoise originally came from a warmer country. The lightest known shade means that the tortoise originates from the southern part of the Sahara Desert.*

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Two boys are quarrelling.
One: ***Your father is a tailor and your shirt is torn. Shame on you!***
Other: ***You should be more shameful. Your father is a dentist and your brother is born without teeth !!***

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 74.42
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 102.28
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 20.26
1 Euro	= Rs. 87.60

VOICE OF THE READER

Traffic Police Station needed in Rajivnagar and Shanthinagar limits

Sir,

There is an urgent need of a Traffic Police Station in Rajivnagar and Shanthinagar limits in city as these areas are highly populated.

In a recent road accident, a small kid was injured and the person who was involved in the mishap sped away. Now who is responsible for this incident? Shouldn't there be any law-keeping authorities to keep a track on such incidents?

Rash driving and helmetless riding are on the rise with motorists flouting all the traffic rules. Traffic jams are common sights in these localities. There are no guidelines for parking, no zebra crossing, no yellow lines and no traffic signals.

Hence, I request the City Police Commissioner to consider opening of a Traffic Police Station in this area.

—Yasmeen Sultana
on e-mail

Rajivnagar
21.7.2021

CM directs Finance Department to sanction DA for employees

Mysuru, July 24- Responding to a plea by Karnataka State Government Employees Association, Chief Minister B.S. Yediyurappa has directed the Finance Department to sanction 11 percent DA (Dearness Allowance) to State Government employees, on the lines of Central Government. The hiked DA will come into effect from July 1, 2021. The Association has thanked the Chief Minister for sanctioning the hike in DA, according to a press release.

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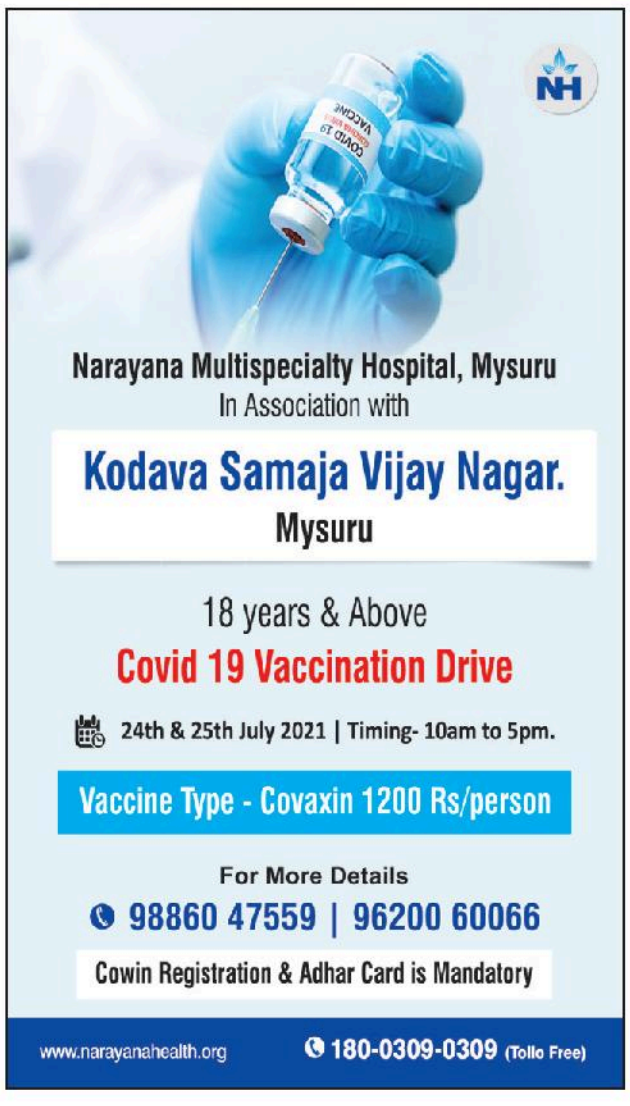
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NEWS BRIEFS

Music School inauguration

Basavananda Mahaswamiji of Sri Gurubasava Mahamane in Dharwad district will inaugurate 'Akkamahadevi Music School' on 9th Cross Road (House No.333-Sairama), Nimishamba Layout, near Jyothi Convent, Dattagalli, Mysuru, at 5 pm today (July 24). For details, contact Mob: 82170-20159 or 99640-64497.

Bike rally

Marking Kargil Vijay Divas, the Mysuru District Unit of Akhila Karnataka Ex-Servicemen Association will take out a bike rally in the city at 9 am on July 26. For details, contact Mob: 96636-00029.

Enterprising farmers invited

University of Agricultural Sciences (UAS), Bengaluru, has invited entries from enterprising farmers (both men and women) for felicitating them during the Krishi Mela that is proposed to be organised in October 2021 at Bengaluru. The entry forms can be obtained from the respective taluk Horticulture Department office. Last date to send entries is July 30. For details, contact Horticulture Dept. offices in Mysuru district — Mysuru - 0821-2430450, H.D. Kote - 08228-255261, Hunsur - 08222-252447, K.R. Nagar - 08223-262791, Nanjangud - 08221-226201, Periyapatna - 08223 - 273535, T. Narasipur - 08227- 260086, according to a press release from the Horticulture Director.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM

Maximum	:	124.80 feet
Today	:	106.10 feet
Yesterday	:	103.38 feet
Inflow	:	31,861 cusecs
Outflow	:	6,210 cusecs

KABINI DAM

Maximum	:	2,284.00 feet
Today	:	2,280.35 feet
Inflow	:	28,060 cusecs
Outflow	:	30,800 cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	2,859.00 feet
Today	:	2,854.37 feet
Inflow	:	14,851 cusecs
Outflow	:	15,246 cusecs

Rain batters Kodagu

Madikeri/ Kushalnagar, July 24 (PS,Akshay&BCT)- The delayed South-West Monsoon has intensified in Kodagu and has gained vigour since the last four days. The constant downpour has led to massive damage of roads, bridges and have also caused landslides at many places, blocking vehicular traffic.

Major roads like the Chettalli-Madikeri Road, Ponnampet-Srimangala Road near Nalkeri has been blocked and many other roads like Murnad-Bhagamandala, Madikeri-Bhagamandala Road near Ayyangeri have at least two feet of water flowing over them. Rivers Cauvery and Lakshmanatheertha and all other tributaries and rivulets are flowing in full spate, threatening the lives of people living on the banks.

Bhagamandala, Cherangala, Korangala and Talacauvery are reporting highest rainfall and vehicular traffic has come to bare minimum. Water level of Cauvery is above the danger mark and the road between Kakkabbe, Kunjila and Painari Darga has been submerged under water.

Madikeri MLA Appachu Ranjan visited the main road connecting Mukkodlu and Thanthipala with Hattihole which was blocked.

People living on the banks of River Cauvery at Napoklu, Yedapala, Kottamudi, and Kondangeri have been asked to move to safer areas and over 50 families have already shifted far from the banks. The small bridge at Balamberi has been submerged and more than 10 feet of water is flowing above the bridge. However, traffic has not been disrupted as a new bridge has been constructed near the small one.

The Madikeri-Chetalli Road has been blocked for the third consecutive monsoon and the Madikeri-Mangaluru Road that links Mysuru to Mangaluru has developed cracks at various places. The Hoddur-Murnad-Napoklu-Balamberi road has been cut off as River Cauvery is overflowing in many places.

Water level in Kadanoor village and Bethri Bridge that links Virajpet and Madikeri taluks too is above danger mark and water has entered low-lying areas.

The low-lying areas of Karadigodu near Siddapura have been marooned as Cauvery is flowing in full spate. Virajpet Tahsildar Yogananda visited the river banks at Bethri to take stock of the situation. The retaining wall of the road near Hodakana village has breached.

Major landslides have been reported in Mukkodlu village on the Avandi-Yemmethaalu Road and Hattihole-Hammiyala and this entire belt is notorious for unbridled development where mountains have been excavated to build houses and resorts.

The area now is a landslide-prone one and mudslides have been reported since the last four years. Landslides have also been reported at Kaloor. Fear of landslides has gripped the residents of Hattihole, Yemmethaalu, Thanthipala, Mukkodlu, Madapura, Soorlabbi and surrounding areas.

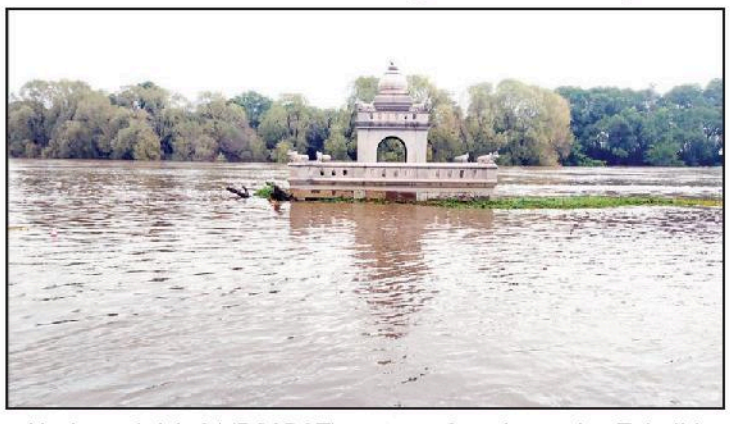
Kodagu received 92.4 mm of rainfall for the 24-hour period ending 8.30 am on Friday and during the last seven days, the district received 229.4 mm of rainfall as against the normal of 191.2 mm. It rained incessantly during the last 24 hours in Bhagamandala, Napoklu, Sampaje, Kodlipet, Shanthahalli, Virajpet, Srimangala etc. Bhagamandala received 112.4 mm of rainfall in the last 24 hours as against the normal of 68.3 mm.

Ban heavy vehicle traffic

In view of the imminent threat to the Mysuru-Mangaluru Road via Madikeri as cracks have developed at many parts, Virajpet MLA K.G. Bopaiah has suggested the Kodagu District Administration to ban the movement of heavy vehicles on the road.

The road that criss-crosses many areas like Sampaje, Katakeri, Karthoji and Madenadu has developed cracks and at many places the metal-fence edges have collapsed. Also, a mud mound has collapsed on the road near Second Monnangeri. Inspecting the areas, Bopaiah said that more damages to the road can be prevented if the heavy vehicle movement is banned.

No bathing, 'mudi seve' on banks of N'gud Temple



Nanjangud, July 24 (RS&BCT)- Over 30,000 cusecs of water is being released from the Kabini Dam in H.D. Kote following heavy rain in the Dam catchment areas in Wayanad.

As a result, River Kapila in Nanjangud taluk is in full spate with historical Hadinaru Kaalu Mantapa almost submerged. The Snana Ghatta and Sopana Katte are also under water.

People residing on the banks of the river and the low-lying areas have been warned to move to safer places by Tahsildar Mohana Kumari. She said that areas like Bokkahalli, Kullankanahundi, Halladakeri, Kurubageri, Gourighatta and other areas are likely to be affected with water entering into houses.

Sri Srikanteshwaraswamy Temple authorities have banned people from bathing in the river and also on its banks on which the historic temple is located. Also, 'mudi seve' conducted by the temple has been temporarily suspended.

Chamarajanagar Hospital oxygen tragedy

BJP farmer leader demands action against former Mysuru DC Rohini

Mysuru, July 24 (RKB&SSV)- Holding former Mysuru Deputy Commissioner (DC) Rohini Sindhuri responsible for the tragedy at Chamarajanagar District Hospital that snuffed out the lives of 24 COVID-19 patients due to lack of oxygen, BJP Raitha Morcha leader Mallesh has demanded stern action against her.

He was talking to media persons after deposing both orally and filing written statement before the One-Man Commission headed by retired High Court Judge B.A. Patil, which is probing the incident by holding its sitting at Jaladarshini Guest House here yesterday.

Mallesh claimed that Rohini did not supply sufficient quantity of oxygen to Chamarajanagar which led to the shortage of oxygen and resulted in the death of 24 Corona positive persons. The required quantity of oxygen was not supplied to Chamarajanagar District Hospital on time following her pressure on Drugs Controller and Oxygen supplying plants.

Most of the patients who died were poor people. Punishing her will serve as a lesson for other IAS Officers, he noted.

He said the Commission was requested to recommend to the State Government to announce an ex-gratia compensation of Rs. 5 lakh each to families of 24 deceased persons.

Commission begins hearing

B.A. Patil

The One-Man Commission headed by retired High Court Judge B.A. Patil began hearing of oxygen tragedy case at Jaladarshini Guest House on Hunsur Road here yesterday. Those who had filed the affidavits were called one by one to record their statements before the presiding officer. The Judge gave a patient hearing to all.

Chamarajanagar Taluk Panchayat Member Kudlur Sridharmurthy has sought action against Chamarajanagar DC Dr. M.R. Ravi and Chamarajanagar Institute of Medical Sciences (CIMS) Dean accusing them for the tragedy. Retired District Health Officer Dr. Yogashankar has said this tragedy could have been averted had the DC taken timely action. Considering it as 'dereliction of duty,' stern action must be initiated against the Ch'nagar DC, he said.

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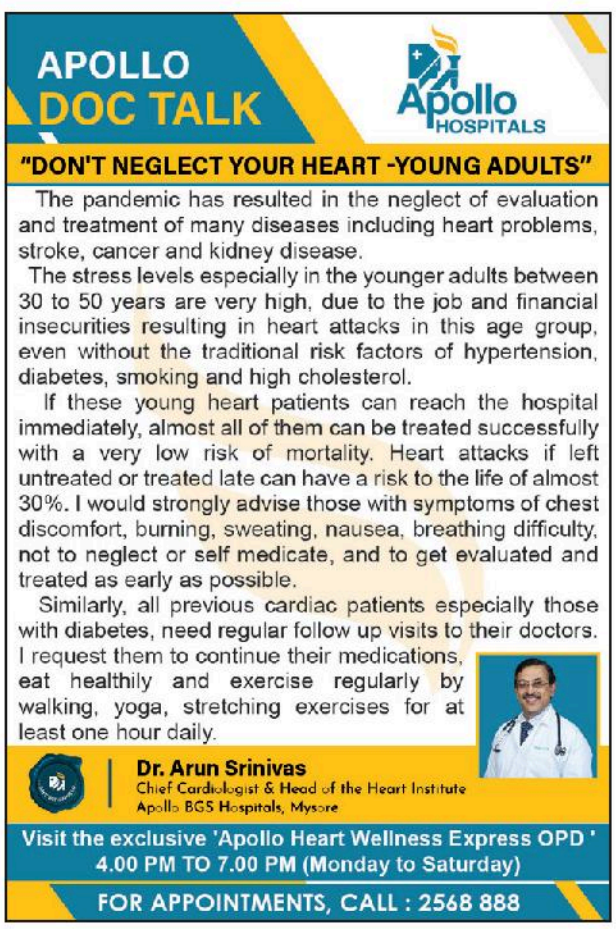
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The stress levels especially in the younger adults between 30 to 50 years are very high, due to the job and financial insecurities resulting in heart attacks in this age group, even without the traditional risk factors of hypertension, diabetes, smoking and high cholesterol.
If these young heart patients can reach the hospital immediately, almost all of them can be treated successfully with a very low risk of mortality. Heart attacks if left untreated or treated late can have a risk to the life of almost 30%. I would strongly advise those with symptoms of chest discomfort, burning, sweating, nausea, breathing difficulty, not to neglect or self medicate, and to get evaluated and treated as early as possible.
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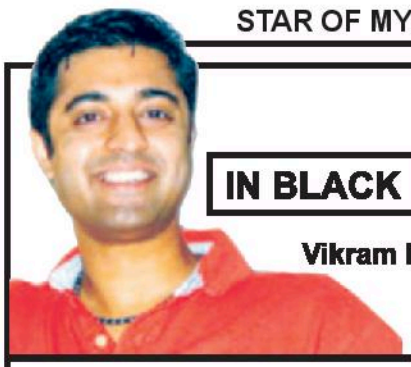

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Vikram Muthanna

Ropeway needed ?

A few days ago Minister for Tourism, Environment and Ecology C.P. Yogeeshwar directed the Department officials to draw a plan of action for the Chamundi Hill ropeway project. And with that the scarring of Chamundi Hill begins, again.

In 2019, there was a landslide on Chamundi Hill. About 50 ft. of road connecting the Nandi Statue area to the View Point on the main road broke off from the Hillside and slid to a depth of 22 feet. This incident, back then, had prompted the question: Has the time come to seriously consider protecting Chamundi Hill from vehicular traffic? And will a ropeway help?

In recent times, when people look towards Chamundi Hill they see more than just God's abode wrapped in nature's green. Now, one also sees concrete structures and garbage. The Hill has succumbed to structures built to pamper irresponsible tourists. And politicians are constantly trying to build structures on the Hill in the name of tourism.

First, it was former Mysuru District Minister (now late) D.T. Jayakumar who suddenly revived the idea of a ropeway across the Hill. Of course, he did not care that a two-kilometre long and 10-metre wide strip of forestland would have to be destroyed to do that.

Then came the grand plan to install 'Sky Wheel,' a super-sized giant wheel on the Hill. They even gave it a name — The 'Mysore Eye.'

Then came B.S. Yediyurappa with a Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) and said that Chamundi Hill would be developed on the lines of Tirupati-Tirumala Temple with Guest House and all that commercial filth that overpowers divinity and stinks up serenity.

Then came former Minister S. A. Ramdas, who announced that the 1.5 km stretch from the View Point to the Statue of Mahishasura would be made into a four-lane road!

Then came a plan to install a canopy over the steps — all the way from the foothill to the hilltop. They did not worry that the 1,008 steps which are 350 years old would turn into 1,008 business spots with each step hosting puja paraphernalia sellers, coconut vendors and eateries, all leaving a trail of garbage.

But no other projects keep getting a new lease of life like the ropeway project. Just two years ago the then District Minister V. Somanna too renewed the call for a ropeway and he had said that a ropeway is expensive but will go ahead.

Back then because of the landslide some thought maybe it was a good idea if it would stop vehicles from going up the hill spewing smoke and noise.

Of course, any construction on the Hill is a terrible idea, but should we allow vehicles to drive up the winding roads spewing smoke and chips packets or force people to leave their garbage and vehicles at the foothill and take public transport instead?

After all these years has the time come to find another means of transport to go up the Hill? And is cable car or ropeway the best?

I have visited two cities, Salzburg in Germany and Budapest, Hungary; both cities have small Hills like our own Chamundi Hill, albeit, instead of a temple they both have castles atop. Both are international tourist destinations. And in both places tourists are forced to take the funicular, a kind of a cable car which moves on rail tracks but uses electricity and a counter-weight system.

In both cities if one wants to go up the Hill they have to either take this funicular or walk up the steps or the road. In fact, one of the funiculars has two stops, one in the middle of the Hill and then at the top. Similarly, maybe we too could have a stop at Nandi and then at the Hilltop.

If this is indeed a viable way to enjoy the Hill without vehicular traffic and pollution, then maybe an area close to the foothill can be earmarked. Here people can park their vehicles and just walk to the funicular or ropeway station to go up the hill. While doing this maybe we can also allow only public electric buses up the Hill and ban all private vehicles.

Now, what about the people who live on the Hill? The Government can issue special permits for their vehicles. But what if they start using it to ferry tourists up and down the Hill for a fee? Well, it is up to the Government to fix such loopholes.

For now, the Minister is wrong when he says "We will take up the ropeway project at Chamundi Hill in such a way that it will not spoil the atmosphere." It will not only spoil the "atmosphere" but also spoil the "environment" and "ambiance" at the foot of Chamundi Hill. But I guess it is better to ruin the foot of the hill than the hill itself.

But not to worry, every time someone has mentioned ropeway, they end up being on their way out of political power. Let us see if this trend continues.

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Govt. relaxes rules for places of worship

Allows re-opening of Amusement Parks

Bengaluru, July 24 (SSV)- The State Government has further modified COVID guidelines related to functioning of religious places. Accordingly, places of worship (Temples, Mosques, Churches, Gurudwaras, etc.) are allowed to open and related activities pertaining to the places of worship are permitted from tomorrow (Sunday) strictly adhering to COVID-19 Appropriate Behaviour (CAB) and SOP issued by Department concerned.

However, jathras, temple festivals, processions and congregations are not allowed, said N. Manjunatha Prasad, Principal Secretary, Revenue Department (Disaster Management) and Member-Secretary, State Executive Committee.

Similarly, Amusement Parks and similar places are permitted to re-open strictly adhering to CAB and following guidelines issued by Health and Family Welfare Department. However, water-related adventure activities are not allowed, he added.

Palace illumination from tomorrow

Sound & Light Show to resume from July 26

Mysuru, July 24 (SBD)- Mysore Palace illumination and Sound & Light Show, which were temporarily stopped due to COVID, will resume from tomorrow (July 25). The Palace, which was thrown open to visitors from July 5, will glow with lightings on Sundays and public holidays between 7 pm and 8 pm starting from tomorrow (Sunday), while the Sound & Light Show will enthral visitors from July 26.

The Sound & Light Show will be operational from 7 pm to 8 pm from Monday to Friday and from 7 pm to 9.15 pm on Saturdays, according to a press release from Mysore Palace Board Dy. Director T.S. Subramanya.

Expired drugs pile up at K.R. Hospital

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2016 - Rs. 1,39,430

The unused medicines include PDS Plus Suture worth Rs. 63,600, Pilocarpine Eye Drops (Rs. 24,750), Sodium Chloride Ophthalmic Solution (Rs. 10,000), Silver Nitrate Gel 0.2% 20 Gm (Rs. 16,224) and Hydrocortrizone Sodium 100 mg (Rs. 9,500).

2017 - Rs. 6,83,179

Follys Catheter 18F/16F (2,73,600), Glibenclamide 5mg (Rs. 1,36,800), ECG Roll (Rs. 50,482), Lithium Carbonate tablets (Rs. 20,800), Sodium Valproate 500mg (Rs. 22,900), Calcium & Mineral Supplement (Rs. 65,000), Benzylpenicillin 600mg (Rs. 22,680) and Tur Set (Rs. 20,000).

2018 - Rs. 7,62,4870

80,000 CPM tablets (Rs. 5,60,000), 315 Etomidate injections (Rs. 92,925), 1,152 HIV Kits (Rs. 16,704), 500 Proparacaine Eye Drops (Rs. 15,000), 70,000 Atenolol 25mg tablets (Rs. 13,300) and 400 Dobutamine injection (Rs. 10,000).

2019-2020 - Rs. 7,34,926

4,22,000 Chole Calciferol tablets (Rs. 4,64,200), 1,20,000 Carbamazepine 200mg tablets (Rs. 1,08,000), 2,32,000 Risperidone 2mg tablets (Rs. 39,440), 31,000 Amoxycillin 500mg tablets (Rs. 21,700).

These medicines were purchased every year based on the indents given by different heads of Departments at K.R. Hospital. Shockingly, the purchases are made despite having sufficient quantities of medicines in the drug store raising a big question as to who benefited from the purchases. Purchases were made without checking actual stocks, requirements and also the distribution pattern.

Rs. 10 crore worth medicines

Every year, Rs. 10 crore worth medicines are purchased by K.R. Hospital and now there is an excess stock of expiry dated medicines as they were purchased carelessly. In the past too, many patients have complained that they were sent to other private medical shops to purchase medicines.

The question here is, instead of buying medicines in bulk and without any forethought, why can't there be a system of rationalising medicine supplies and also better inventory management. Sadly, patients are being denied medicines for even common ailments like fever and cold.

Notably, the piling stocks of medicines have been pointed out and objected to by the audit committee every year, yet no action has been taken in this regard. Even the Lokayukta Police are conducting a probe on medicine waste. Now the Hospital authorities have written to the State level Drug Disposal Committee seeking permission to scientifically dispose of the wasted drugs. The expiry date drug scandal joins the list of many irregularities like misuse of funds in the purchase of writing materials, surgical equipment purchase, CC cameras for security and house-keeping contracts, all of which have been outsourced.

There is inside information that a set of employees too are involved in the medicine purchase scam and only if the money that has been wasted is recovered from the accused, such acts will stop in future. But who will bell the cat?

WHAT THEY SAID

"I was appointed as the Chief Pharmacist of K.R. Hospital in March 2020 and till June, I was not given charge of the Drug Store. As I took over, I implemented a proper system of strict checking, indenting and ensuring supplies of only those medicines that are scarce. The earlier Chief Pharmacist Siddaraju is responsible for this waste of medicines and now we have written to the Drug Disposal Committee to permit scientific disposal of the expired medicines."

—B.R. Prasanna Kumar, Chief Pharmacist, K.R. Hospital

"Every year, we purchase medicines worth Rs. 10 crore and there are chances of one percent of the medicines being unused and such medicines have now expired. We asked the Pharmacists to utilise such unused medicines at other Government Hospitals if not the K.R. Hospital. However, there was no response from the other Government Hospitals to utilise these medicines."

—Dr. N. Nanjundaswamy, Medical Superintendent, K.R. Hospital

"Due to a decline in the number of non-COVID patients during the pandemic, tablets such as Vitamin C could have been left unused. But I am not aware of such a lot of medicines being wasted. Will discuss this with the Chief Pharmacist and the Medical Superintendent."

—Dr. C.P. Nanjaraj, Dean and Director, MMC&RI

"Will seek information on such a huge drug waste from officers and will bring this to the notice of the Medical Education Minister and urge him for disciplinary action. It is an unfortunate incident and will ask the authorities not to allow public money to go down the drain."

—L. Nagendra, MLA, Chamaraja Constituency

What are use-by-date drugs?

According to recent studies, the expiry date on medicine bottles does not mean that the tablets are ineffective from the specified date onwards. That is, the expiry date doesn't really indicate a point at which it is no longer effective. Rather the potency of the drug begins to decline. Its effectiveness begins to wear off. The medicine can be used even some months after expiry, but it will be less effective after the use-by-date.

How are they disposed of scientifically?

Commonly, expired drugs are immobilised in a solid block within a plastic or steel drum. After filling these substances into the drum to about 75 percent of the capacity, the drum is filled with a mixture of lime, cement and water in appropriate proportion. The sealed drums are placed at the base of the landfill and covered with a fresh municipal solid waste.

Also, products are removed from the package and are then ground and made a paste with a mixture of water, cement and lime. Then they are taken to landfill and decanted into normal urban waste. Liquid medicines like syrups, intravenous fluids are flushed into the sewer after dilution.

BJP National General Secretary steps in as BJP looks for BSY's successor

Bengaluru, July 24 (KMS&DM)- With Chief Minister B.S. Yediyurappa (BSY) almost certain to make exit in a couple of days, BJP National General Secretary B.L. Santhosh is said to have stepped in to the process of electing a new leader to head the BJP Government in the State.

Sources said that BJP is looking for an able leader who can take forward BJP's Hindutva ideology and also display a pro-farmer attitude keeping in mind the party's policy in respect of farmers and working class. Party High Command is said to have sent Santhosh, who has deep knowledge of all dimensions of Karnataka politics, to oversee the election of a new leader, who is most suitable to replace Lingayat strongman BSY.

Santhosh in Goa

Meanwhile, it is learnt that Santhosh is in Goa, from where he is gauging the political developments in the State. The BJP High Command is said to have asked Santhosh to stay in Goa in order to avoid any embarrassing incidents that may occur while selecting an alternative leader to BSY.

The BJP is said to have taken this measure in order to avoid any dissidence that may surface, just like it happened when Karnataka Party In-charge Arun Singh visited Bengaluru earlier this month. BJP National General Secretary C. T. Ravi too is learnt to be in Goa.

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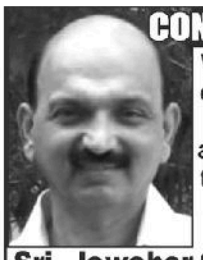

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Had two choices in Life...
To QUIT or To LIVE !

Kartik Janakiram, a 43-year-old Parkinson's patient, an inspiration to all

By G. Amit Kumar

Had two choices in life... to quit or to live? I chose to live with my disease." These were the painful words uttered by an art-lover and a Parkinson's patient, who has been fighting with the disease for 22 long years. Meet Kartik Janakiram, a 43-year-old civil engineer by profession, who designed the BM Habitat Mall in Jayalakshmipuram, Mysuru. Also Kartik was part of constructing Vidya Vikas College of Engineering on Bannur Road.

Born and brought up in Bengaluru, Kartik completed his engineering in RV College. Life was not kind towards Kartik, as he was diagnosed with Parkinson's at a young age of 21. During his student days, Kartik realised that his body was affected by Parkinson's.

In 2006, Kartik moved to Mysuru as he got the project of constructing a shopping mall (BM Habitat Mall). He got married in 2012 to Aarti Singh, who hails from Pune. The couple resides in VV Mohalla. Kartik had a very good career for which he won 7 international awards and youngest engineer in Karnataka award. Later Kartik started his own factory called KT Precast (Precast walls) which was doing well in the construction field. Everything was going according to his wish, but Kartik's health condition worsened after 2017.

DREAMS SHATTERED

As the health condition was going bad day by day, Kartik lost control over his body. Tremors, stiffness and slowing of movement were the result of Parkinson's on Kartik. His body reached such a condition that he was unable to work. In December 2019, Kartik underwent Deep Brain Stimulation (DBS) operation after which he became bed-ridden without any body movement. All he could see was his dreams shattering in front of his eyes.

QUIT OR LIVE WITH IT

Sharing his harrowing experiences with *Star of Mysore*, Kartik Janakiram said, "Fighting a disease like Parkinson's is not easy. Those who are affected by this disease know that they cannot beat it. No doctors in the world can exactly tell you what type of disease is this; doctors only advise you on how to deal with it. I had two choices in life — to quit or to live? I chose to live with it, as I never wanted to quit. I still have passion, courage and strong will to achieve big in life."

ACCEPT LIFE THE WAY IT COMES

"One thing I learnt from this disease is to accept life the way it comes. I started thinking what will I do tomorrow? I'm an art-lover and started making paper crafts (origami) and embossing arts to keep my mind calm. I learnt making paper crafts by watching videos on YouTube. I did my first paper craft in January 2020. I took four days to complete it. Slowly I gained confidence of making more crafts along with drawing embossing sketches. Now art has become part of my life," he sighs.

A civil engineer by profession, he designed the BM Habitat Mall in Mysuru

WIFE IS MY BIGGEST STRENGTH

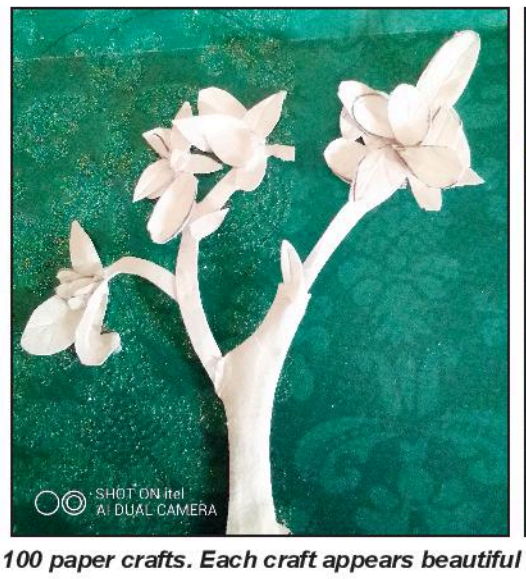
"Whenever I tried walking, I had fear of falling down. My wife gave me support when I was about to fall. I can understand how it feels for a wife to take care of a husband like me. She never complained for once, in fact I am alive today because of her. She is my biggest strength in life. Even her mother is a great human being, who supported me in every step of my life. I'm blessed to have a loving family like this," Kartik says, looking up to his wife standing close by.

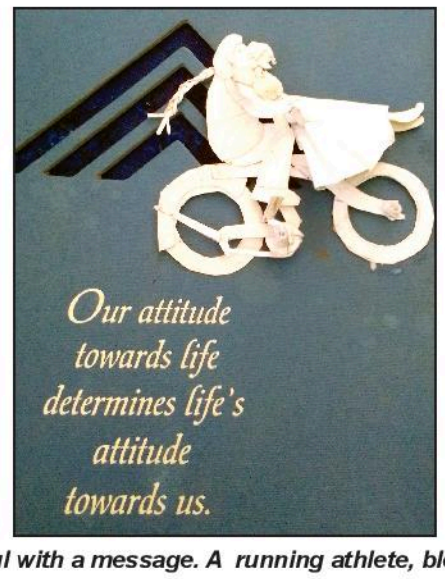
WANT TO RE-OPEN OUR FACTORY

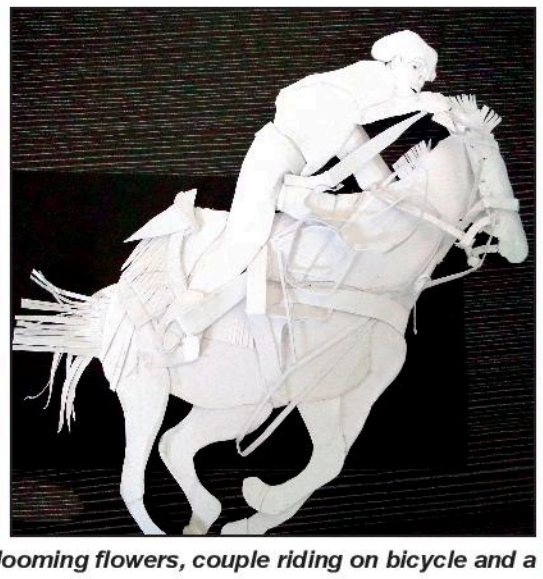
"We had our own factory of Precast, which is shut temporarily due to my health condition. We are looking for a business partner, who could help us in re-opening the factory through joint venture. My wife (MBA graduate) is good at designing and precasting walls; I wish to continue working in construction field. Hope this will happen soon and we get an opportunity to start a new life," said Kartik with voice choked.

MY HUSBAND DESERVES SECOND OPPORTUNITY IN LIFE

Speaking to *SOM*, Aarti Singh said, "My husband is intelligent and a knowledgeable person. He deserves another opportunity in life to show his talent and capability. Never felt difficulty in taking care of him. Now he can ride a bicycle and drive a car, but I want to see him walk and that day will be the happiest day of my life."







Kartik has made more than 100 paper crafts. Each craft appears beautiful with a message. A running athlete, blooming flowers, couple riding on bicycle and a thank you note for wife. Also the embossing sketches are attractive to eyes. Specialty of these sketches is it appears normal on paper but the images appear different when you see it through the mobile camera. The images change its dimensions giving a new meaning when you see through camera lenses.

UoM to hold K-SET exam across State tomorrow

A staff pasting printed Registration Numbers on benches at one of the exam centres in city yesterday.

Mysuru, July 24 (RK&DM)- The University of Mysore (UoM), which is the Nodal Agency for the conduct of K-SET (Karnataka-State Eligibility Test)-2021 for Assistant Professorship in Degree Colleges of Karnataka, is all set to conduct the exam tomorrow (July 25) across the State.

The exam will be held for 41 subjects, for which a total of over 85,000 eligible candidates have registered. The exam will be conducted at 11 cities spread over the State — Bengaluru, Mysuru, Belagavi, Ballari, Vijayapura, Davanagere, Dharwad, Kalaburagi, Mangaluru, Shivamogga and Tumakuru.

Sources said that the exam will be held at 29 centres in Mysuru city alone as a majority of the candidates have opted for Mysuru. All exam halls in the centres have been sanitised ahead of tomorrow's exam, which is being held after two postponements due to COVID -19 pandemic.

Yesterday, the authorities were seen pasting printed Registration Numbers on benches at exam halls in city, instead of writing them with chalk, in a deviation from past practice. The University authorities have taken all measures to ensure that the exam is held in accordance with Government SOPs and adherence to COVID Appropriate Behaviour (CAB) at all centres.

All the candidates are required to download their Hall Tickets from the University website *http://kset.uni-mysore.ac.in*

Degree, PG Colleges ready to receive students from Monday

One of the classrooms at MSW Department in Manasagangothri in city being sanitised yesterday.

Mysuru, July 24 (RK&SSV)- After months of closure of educational institutions due to COVID-induced lockdown, all Degree and PG Colleges are set to re-open from Monday (July 26).

"Each and every classroom in all colleges that come under the ambit of University of Mysore (UoM) are decorated. We are waiting for the D-day to throw open the gates of all the colleges for the students to attend offline classes," Prof. R. Shivappa, Registrar, UoM, told *Star of Mysore*.

He said each classroom has been sanitised and locked after thorough cleaning. They will be opened on Monday. As per directions of the State Government, the college authorities have been asked to allow only those students who have taken the first dose of vaccination. Besides, they must be seated by maintaining social distance. Wearing of mask has been made mandatory for everyone, he added.

Prof. Shivappa said that 61.54 percent of students, teaching and non-teaching staff have been vaccinated till yesterday. There are 228 colleges in the UoM jurisdiction in which 1,27,693 students, 9,421 teaching and 2,606 non-teaching staff are working. Of the total 1,39,720, 85,985 have been vaccinated till July 23. The rest will be vaccinated by holding special camps in the coming days. Every College Principal has been asked to have a list of students who are vaccinated and only those students must be allowed to attend the classes in person, he noted.

"As per the Government directive, attending offline classes is not mandatory for students. They can attend offline classes voluntarily," he clarified.

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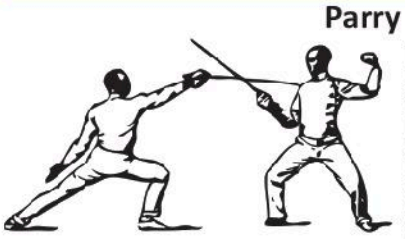


Pronunciation: PAIR-ee.
Meaning: To ward off (something, such as a weapon or blow); to evade (something, such as a question) by an adroit answer.
Origin: Parry (which is used in fencing, as well as in other applications) was borrowed from French parer, meaning "to ward off" or "to avert," and may specifically have come directly from the plural imperative form of that word, parez. The French likely borrowed the word from Italian parare, meaning "to prepare, adorn, avert, shield, keep out." That word's source is Latin parāre, meaning "to supply, provide, make ready," an ancestor to many familiar English words, among them prepare, repair, emperor, separate, and apparatus.
Example: "Sevilla forward Youssef En-Nesyri had a clearer opportunity midway through the first half but his header was blocked by a low save from Spain keeper Unai Simon, who thwarted the Moroccan again before half-time, parrying his shot and then scurrying back to prevent the ball from trickling over the line."

THE ODD WORD

Palaeosophy

Ancient learning or thought.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Water under the bridge

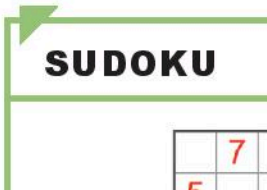
Meaning: 'Water under the Bridge' refers to past events to be put aside.
Origin: The origin of the idiom "water under the bridge" is an ancient one; this saying is derived from an even older one that dates back to ancient Greece. Heraclitus, a pre-Socratic philosopher who lived during the 4th and 5th centuries BCE, conveyed the same idea when he coined the phrase "You cannot step twice in the same river."
Example: Sure, we have had our disagreements in the past, but that's water under the bridge now.

QUOTE BOX

If you're offered a seat on a rocket ship, don't ask what seat! Just get on.
— Sheryl Sandberg

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus



Answer :Face up to it.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:
1 Affectionate
5 Mongrel
8 Other ___ to fry : more important things to do?
12 A prophetic sign
13 Kyushu mountain
14 The French for 'blue'
15 US space agency
16 Dramatically beautiful
18 It can move mountains
19 New Zealand South Island district
20 Greek capital to Air India
21 Slave or serf
23 Embrace, cuddle
25 To discuss or debate
27 Yehudi ___ : the famous violinist?
31 Toupees
32 Ireland's ___ Lingus
33 Ancient Roman historian and prose writer
34 Simplest
36 Sepals collectively
37 Printer's measures
38 Long story
39 Scots "own"
42 Cloudy or gloomy
44 Staff, pole
47 Dramatic outline
49 Verdi opera
50 Sweat-gland
51 ____ of the road : there is nowhere to go now?
52 Entry in a list
53 Falls in the winter
54 Jamaican popular music
55 Old musical instrument used to accompany poetry

DOWN
1 Type of type?
2 Arabian gulf country
3 Bird's savings - should we say? (4,4)
4 Cloning matter
5 Social class among Hindus
6 Flushing Meadows initials
7 More uneven
8 Fly-by-night
9 Hip bones?
10 Despatched - "nest" anagram?
11 Grant or Laurie of Hollywood
17 The word for a thing
19 A single unit
22 "Issue" an anagram for a girl's name?
24 Russian prison camp
25 Great respect
26 Narrow inlet, creek
27 Bumped into
28 Great merriment
29 Climbing vine
30 The goddess of night according to Greek mythology?
32 Tells with confidence
35 Harry Potter actress ___ Watson
36 Small low island
38 They manufacture the Fabia and the Laura
39 Venomous snakes
40 Revered figure
41 Roman emperor
43 Arena for ice hockey players
45 East European river
46 Titled lady
48 Fresh and unfamiliar
49 Suffer

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

S	E	P	T	■	L	E	S	■	N	E	A	P
O	R	E	O	■	A	L	A	■	A	N	K	A
T	E	R	R	A	P	I	N	■	U	R	I	S
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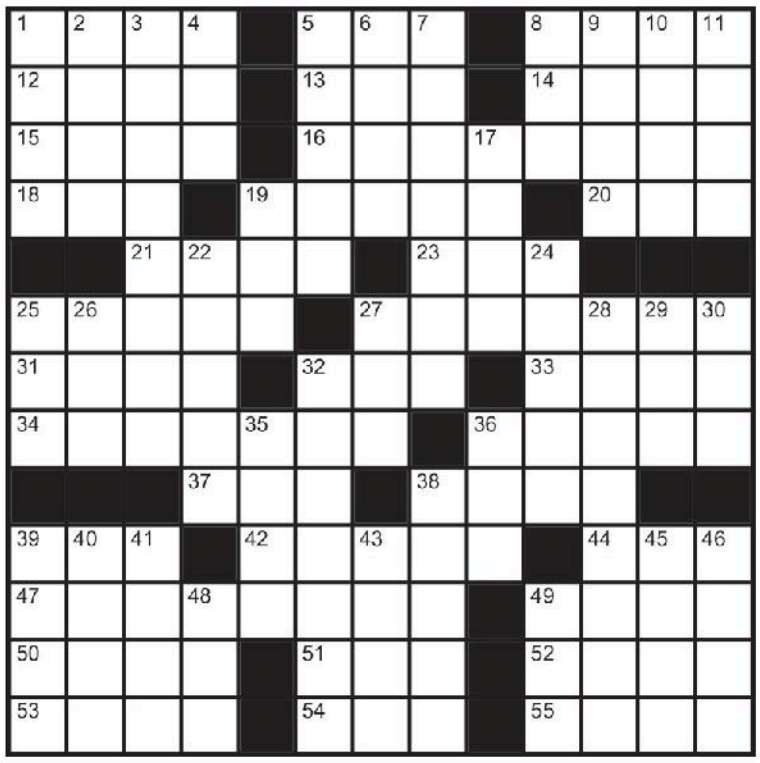

SUDOKU

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5					3			
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3	6		7			1		
		9			1		8	3
9	5	4	6					
			2					7
	2				4		6	

Answer to previous puzzle

7	9	8	3	2	1	6	5	4
6	3	2	4	9	5	8	1	7
5	1	4	8	6	7	3	9	2
4	2	9	1	7	3	5	8	6
1	6	5	2	8	4	9	7	3
8	7	3	6	5	9	4	2	1
9	4	1	5	3	2	7	6	8
2	8	7	9	4	6	1	3	5
3	5	6	7	1	8	2	4	9

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

LM AXOI FOVVZFF LF YXR XY AXOI XNY RZIBF, LM

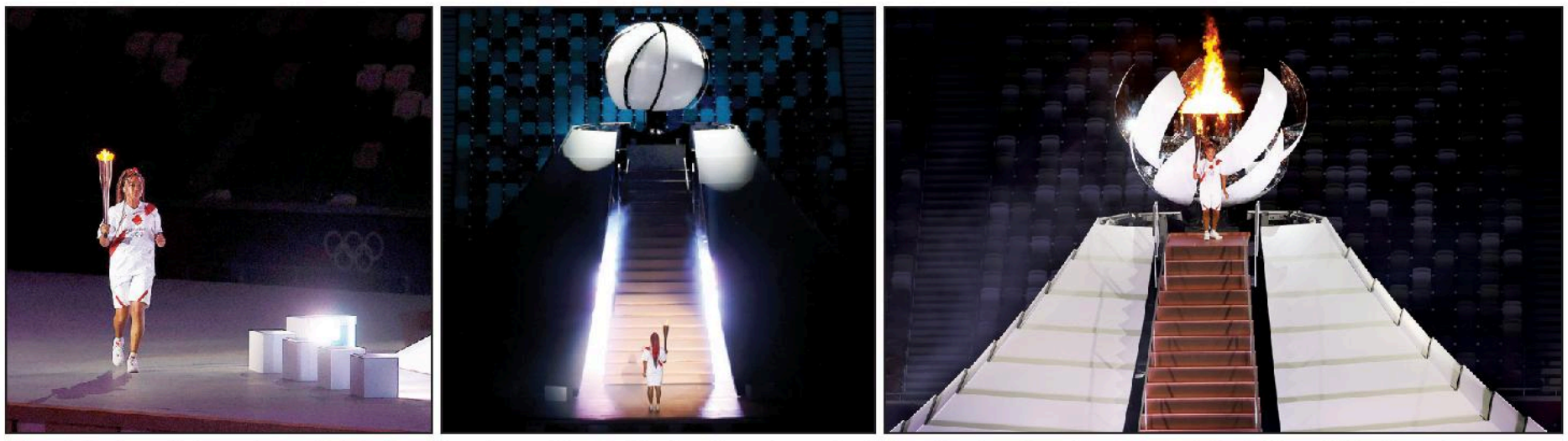
LR KXXEF HXXQ RX RCZ NXIKQ JOR QXZF YXR MZZK

HXXQ LY AXOI CZPIR, LR LF YXR FOVVZFF PR PKK.

TODAY'S CLUE: F EQUALS S

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: This art of resting the mind and the power of dismissing from it all care and worry is probably one of the secrets of energy in our great men.

Osaka lights Olympic cauldron to open Tokyo Games 2020 in 2021



Naomi Osaka of Team Japan lights the Olympic cauldron with the Olympic torch during the Opening Ceremony of the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games at Olympic Stadium in Tokyo, Japan, on July 23, 2021.

Chinese Shooter Yang Qian wins first Gold of the Games

Gold medallist Yang Qian draping the medal around her neck after being handed over the gold on a tray offered by International Olympic Committee (IOC) President Thomas Bach, in keeping with COVID-19 protocols in place at the Games.

Gold medallist Yang Qian of China with silver medallist Anastasiia Galashina of the Russian Olympic Committee and bronze medallist Nina Christen of Switzerland. [Pics. Courtesy: Internet]

Tokyo, July 24- Chinese shooter Yang Qian won the first gold of the Tokyo Olympics on Saturday, snatching a dramatic last-shot victory from Russia's Anastasiia Galashina in the women's 10m air rifle final.

Yang claimed gold with an Olympic record score of 251.8, edging ahead of Russian Anastasiia Galashina on 251.1 and Switzerland's Nina Christen on 230.6. Galashina had looked poised to claim gold heading into the last shot, but stumbled with 8.9 on her final effort to allow Yang to seal victory.

The event took place the morning after the Olympics opened in a nearly empty stadium, following an unprecedented postponement and a build-up marred by scandal and controversy.

The first medal ceremony of the Games saw Yang presented with her gold by IOC President Thomas Bach. Yang draped the medal around her neck after being handed the gold on a tray offered by Bach, in keeping with COVID-19 protocols in place at the Games.

With fans barred from venues, only a handful of Chinese support staff were on hand to congratulate Yang after the win.

Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
1 China	1	0	0	1
2 Russia	0	1	0	1
3 Switzerland	0	0	1	1

NOTE: Catch all actions on Sony Sports Network and Live Streaming on SonyLIV

EVENTS TODAY (JULY 24)

- **New Crafts:** Silk India-2021, an opulent show of cool cotton handloom products, ethnic and traditional silk, Nanjaraja Bahadur (NR) Choultry, Vinoba Road, **up to 8.30 pm.**
- **JSS Mysore Urban Haat and Industrial Extension Cottage (Indext-C), Government of Gujarat:** Gujarat Handicrafts Utsav, Urban Haat premises, Ring Road, Hebbal Industrial Area, **up to 9 pm.**
- **Sri Shiradi Sai Sevashrama Trust:** Puja-Homa-Bhajan-Aradhana-Prasada Viniyoga, Baba Mandira, No. 55/5 Cross, 2nd Stage, Hebbal, near Sankranti Circle, **4 pm to 8 pm.**
- **Sri Thyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust, Mysuru:** 60th death anniversary of vaggeyakara 'Sangeetha Kalanidhi' Mysore K. Vasudevacharya, online vocal concert by 'Sangeetha Kalaratna' Vid. S. Shankar, accompanied by Vid. R. Achyutha Rao on violin, Vid. B. R. Srinivas on mridanga and Vid. Sunaad Anoor on kanjira, Sri Thyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust YouTube Channel *[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5duKEUSvk8XXBra6TWQnSA]*, **5 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (JULY 25)

- **New Crafts:** Silk India-2021, an opulent show of cool cotton handloom products, ethnic and traditional silk, Nanjaraja Bahadur (NR) Choultry, Vinoba Road, **10.30 am to 8.30 pm.**
- **Neelagiri Odanadi Sangama-21:** Book release — Paramjyothi's 'Kodemale' — and felicitation to Paramashiva Nadubetta and R. Shivanna, journalist Amshi Prasannakumar releases the book, retd. Head Master and writer Paramashiva Nadubetta speaks about the author, Shantha Paramjyothi receives first copy, writer and publisher Padma Sriram presides, T.S. Ashwini comperes, Pathrakartara Bhavan, Tyagaraja Road, [Facebook Live: *https://www.facebook.com/namma.niligiri]* **11 am.**
- **3E Home School:** Free webinar on National Parents Day on 'Parenting Consciousness Summit,' Moderator - Dr. Gayethri Devi, Mentor & Educationist; Panelists - Chetna Sabharwal, Education psychologist, Conscious Parenting Expert, Fathima Asghar, Wisdom Parent Coach, Founder-EvolveED & Awakened Learners' Hub, Shilpa Spoorthy, Architect & Student Mentor, Head of CSR - iCare Brigade, Head of CSR, The Fasting Studio, Chakravarti Das, Director, HR Juhu ISKCON, Mumbai, Ex HR Manager, Wipro, Monk and Life Coach and Shailesh Mehta, Entrepreneur, Business Consultant, Webinar Link - *www.3Ehomeschool.com,* **12 noon to 1.30 pm.** [Mob: 99455-11831]
- **Natana School of Theatre Arts:** Staging of play 'Chora Charanadasa,' School premises, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**

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Yuvarathnaa (K)	(S-2)	11.30 am
	(S-4)	4.15 pm
Sulthan (Ta)	(S-2)	3.40 pm
Inspector Vikram (K)	(S-2)	6.40 pm
Godzilla Vs Kong (E)	(S-3)	11.10 am, 1.30 pm
Radhe (H)	(S-3)	4.15 pm, 6.45 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

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